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A Correction

To The Editor

Blairmore Enterprise,

Dear Sir—I felt somewhat amused this morning when my attention was called to the following note in The Enterprise:

"On Monday last Mr. Chalmers and D. B. McIvor journeyed to Lundbreck to meet Mr. Loughran on the problem question, but Mr. Loughran failed to put in an appearance."

It might interest your readers to know that until I read the above I had no idea whatever that such a meeting was called, or that I was expected to be there.

I might also add that they were gentlemen who advertised my name as a speaker at St. Agnes' school, Bellevue, on the 14th inst., but still Mr. Loughran being up at the Arlington hotel at Pincher Creek on the day of the meeting. I had no idea that I was expected to be there, and when I read the message I was then leaving by the stage for Beaver Hills and did not catch the train at Cowley enroute for Calgary that night.

A month ago I received a letter to say that I was advertised to take part in a debate at Livingston, but the letter containing the information did not arrive until the day after the meeting was held. Of course, the gentlemen who made up as those and other matters of great capital out of the fact that I was not present, but they carefully guarded the secret as to why I was absent. During the campaign I called several meetings in order to give the electors an opportunity of hearing both sides of the question, but on every occasion I was careful not to advertise the name of the opponent speaker without his consent. I might further add that although my opponents on every occasion referred to me as a paid advocate of liquor, that such was not the case, and that the only payment that I ever received was for service rendered last May to the Brewery Workers' Association; but since then all I ever asked for was out-of-pocket expenses, and that has not been paid to me as yet.

I must confess, however, that I was utterly opposed to having liquor sold on principle, seeing that the province would stand to lose millions of dollars annually through the importation of liquor, but now that the electors have decided in no uncertain manner in its favor, I feel fairly well satisfied.

Yours truly,

JOHN LOUGHRAN.

Beaver Hills, Alta.

July 23th, 1914.

Willfrid Gariepy

Appointed a K. C.

News has been received in Edmonton that Hon. Willfrid Gariepy, minister of municipal affairs, has been appointed one of His Majesty's council for the province of Quebec by the Governor of that province, Sir Louisa Gouin. The appointment carries with it the distinction of "counsel du roi," the French equivalent of "king's counsel."

The nomination of Mr. Gariepy stands as a recognition of the minister's progress in public life from his native province.

Mr. Gariepy was born in Montreal in 1877 and graduated from McGill university in 1905. He is serving his first term in the legislature of Alberta, having been elected to represent Beaver River riding on April 17, 1913. He was sworn in as a member of the executive council and appointed minister of municipal affairs November 8, 1913.

Lord Kitchener A

Perfectly Human Man

"Lord Kitchener," says Mr. Harold Regbie in his book "Kitchener: Organizer of Victory," published in the U. S. edition by securing us. "He is the machine man of the age of popular imagination. He is perfectly human. There is, indeed, something frank, bold, and rough-hewn in his disposition. He is a man who has moments when he craves for sympathy. All the same, he does not represent the British character in any of its most striking qualities. He stands absolutely for the nation just now, but he is not the highest, the best, the even the most ideal of English types. 'Crowned,' he is the deliberate, work-loving, brusque, quiet unassuming, and very thorough British administrator; indeed, he is the type of the bulldog."

Britons, Awake!

(This is strong poetry and is inspired to the brave women of England is known to be great. It equally grips strong men for many copies are to be found in the offices of officers on the firing line. This copy was sent to his father in Toronto by one of the lieutenants in the 2nd Batt., with the comment that the 'women of Canada might like to read it.)

I can hear the beat of a million feet

In England men first take

And the princely crowd makes my blood run red

In spite of our women's galls

A million men from hill and dale

From city, force and farm

Are mustering fast to the battle's plain

And they shout "To arms! To arms!"

Proudly they come without truck or dray

Steadily and stern and strong

Of the soil and stout sons of toil

To fight and to die for right

To fight and to die for right

To keep our name from the stain of shame

And blazon it on the sky

Oh, women who love them best

Thank God for the gift he gave you

Your breasts have suckled a nation's bread

The breast of the brave

No feeling but with a strong heart

Of mother of the world

True sons of peace when war shall cease

And their battle flag is forfeit

For ever, now, they have sworn a vow

To avenge their murdered kin

The world shall know wherever they go

They will fight to the death or win

They have heard the cry that rose so high

When Gallia fell again

And their own blood is a sea of blood

Made women's life a hell

With knitted brows they lift their plumes

They swear from now on for their fate

They march to the fight with bayonets bright

To avenge the life they love

The sword of France or the English lance

Plashed bright in the summer's sun

And side by side in their watchful place

Oh, women of England, fight or poor

Look back, now, look back with pride

For your sons are the bravest men

— anonymous verse

To be found in the whole world's view

For honor they fight and the cause of right

Not for fame or paltry pay

They are a nation's best, not a man's

— anonymous verse

In all that great array

They stand the steel that the foe might

A few born heroes' wrath

Like the Vikings bold in the days of old

They rose and sailed forth

Through the glittering blades of the summer heat

Through the nights of frost and snow

They have fought like men and will again

Wager they are bidden to go

They will never rest till the steel is pressed

On the teeth of a beaten foe

Oh, Mothers of England, have ye none

Who will stand with them in the fray?

No gallant men who will join the ranks

To help them win the day?

Lads of the good old breed, this is our hour of need

Your country calls you now

Upon your feet and say, "England, I'm yours today!"

Swear it and keep the vow

Think of the brutal loss, think of our own East Coast

Where women's blood ran red

Lads, now! Lads, now! Lads, now! I ask in vain!

Think of the bitter holier when German

Wrought its sinister grim and great

Out of the sea came, bent on a deed of shame

Which will stain them in the fray?

Skulking in craven fear lest our brave

Lads be seen

They wrought their evil will

They dared not face our men, but they will come again

To ravish and to kill

Think of the baby face in his cold

Hard by the whirling sea

Children by England bred now sleeping

With the dead

Butchered while playing at mother's knee

Lads, now! I ask again! Lads, now! I ask in vain!

Will you avenge our dead?

Women of England, mothers and wives

I know your hearts will ache

You have seen the crown you must bear the cross

Though some of your hearts will break

Mothers and wives, you have seen the cross

Greater than men can bear

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Oh, women, the will of the Gods be kind

Flows as death in the cross to bear

You must give your soul to the Moloch of war

Though your hearts forever will ache

The rippled furrows of the earth's day

Have you sent to the front for your

honor's sake

Some will go down in the bitter strife

Some will return no more

Oh, women, the will of the Gods be kind

To the aftermath of war

But your sons must fight lest, ye be

— anonymous verse

By the women's dwelling

Your honor is dearer to them than life

Madness, you must let your strong

sons go

They will fight for you, ye will pray for them

As ye pray in the cradle days

The Gods have given this cross to bear

— anonymous verse

Know them, faintly there, and faintly

To stand in the battle's van

There lift your eyes to the stark white

And, thank God you have numbered a

man

— anonymous verse

Blairmore Red Cross

The following articles were forwarded to the Calgary depot last week:

72 rolled bandages

27 personal property boxes

117 2 bandages

10 knitted wash-rags

121 surgical pads

17 pillow pads

1 buckskin

1 buckskin

8 muslin pajamas

3 bed-side bags

10 dice, game compresses

22 dice, game pieces

47 hospital handkerchiefs

29 chess-club wash-rags

10 muslin bandages

53 triangular bandages

3 pneumatic jackets

13 pairs socks

11 surgical slippers

Of the above the following were donated:

10 of the triangular bandages by Mrs. James Patterson;

5 triangular bandages, 3 pillow-slips and the buckskin by Mrs. W. Howe.

— anonymous verse

Green Hill Mine To Open

As we go to press we are informed that the Blairmore Green Hill mine will start operations on Monday morning next.

This mine has been closed down for some time awaiting an agreement between the miners and the mine company, and satisfactory terms have been arrived at this week.

— anonymous verse

Mr. H. C. Moore returned last week from an extended visit to the States.

The remains of the late Const. Paden, who lost his life by drowning, were sent from Macleod on Friday to his old home in Barrie, Ontario. Paden was but twenty years of age, and joined the R.N.W.M.P. force last August.

— anonymous verse

The summer number of the Newfoundland Quarterly is at hand. It contains a large number of beautiful illustrations, including pictures of the naval reserves who rallied on the Prairies, many of whom have since lost their lives.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS AND CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF

JOHN B. MCKINNON,

late of Hillcrest, in the Province of Alberta, miner, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the above named John B. McKinnon, who died on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1914, are required to file with THE TRUSTEES, ALBERTA TRUSTEES COMPANY, LIMITED, Calgary, Alberta, by the 10th day of August, A. D. 1914, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and that after the date the administrators will distribute the assets of the deceased's estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their attention.

DATED this 5th day of July, A. D. 1914.

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THE TRUSTEES, ALBERTA TRUSTEES COMPANY, LIMITED, Calgary, Alberta.

S. P. McNICOLL,

District Court of Macleod

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS AND CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF

HERBERT YEABY,

late of Burnis, in the Province of Alberta, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Herbert Yeaby, who died on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1914, are required to file with THE TRUSTEES, ALBERTA TRUSTEES COMPANY, LIMITED, Calgary, Alberta, by the 10th day of August, A. D. 1914, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims, and

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Bellevue, Alta., Fri., July 30, 1915

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Things That Don't Happen

The Old Subscriber:—Good morning, Mr. Editor, just dropped in to leave you some of new potatoes and tell you that your paper gets better every week. Your account of my daughter's wedding was written in good style. I'll take about \$5 worth of extra paper. Now you did the other editor up in great shape in regard to licensing saloons. By the way, here's a dollar and a half, and I hope you'll use it to that some-in-law of mine in Oak-koh. Guess I'd better give you another dollar and a half and let you send it to my wife's sister back in Kikoom. My crops are looking fine. Well I guess I'll be going to run for sheriff and want you to say a good word for me. Of course you can't work for nothing, so here's ten dollars—just that then the editor wake up.

Let's Be Up-to-date

Observing the success of the Billy Sunday methods in the matter of conversion, "Back" rises to suggest that the attempt be made to apply the same method to other church denominations, all activities, proposing the following formula:

Dactor (christening infant)—What do you want to call this hunk of excess baggage, boy?

Providing Parson—What miserable runt gives this kid to be married to this sink?

The Bride's Father—I'm the guy.

Industrious Uncle—Slide, you ice-cream slide!

Posing the Plate—Come across with the iron men, you low-lived lightwads!

Sunday School Superintendent—All of you sinners that want to get saved, stand on one leg.—Etc.

Our Neighbors

To love your neighbor as yourself, is what the Good Book teaches, to say your hatred on the shelf, and think all people are your friends, is the lesson of the hour, such precepts we're defining; we do not love the man next door, and we waste no effort trying. He has no sympathy for us, that love could not abate them, and ordinary language fails when we'd enumerate them. His sins are numbered by the yard, his vices are odious; against such men we are on guard—we have to be exclusive. We're always looking for the sins of those who live around us; we say they brine on moral ships, and worry and confound us. To all their virtues we are blind, of their faults we're assuming; we seldom look about to find their qualities redeeming. If we would turn ourselves to look for good in "other fellows," we need not assume a man's a crook until he shows up yellow; we'd see our neighbors growing wiser, we'd find them folks to cherish, and easy and such evils from this old world would perish.—Uncle Walt.

Alberta has gone "dry" by an overwhelming majority. Even the cities, with one exception, have voted for prohibition.

This is a surprise to all who realize the financial disaster that will inevitably be caused by the adoption of this measure—a disaster that will entail all the more suffering because it will come at a time of acute financial depression. The result of the vote can leave no doubt in the mind of anyone concerning the enormous strength of the continuous wave sweeping over the world in opposition to the use of alcoholic beverages. There cannot be the slightest doubt that the people are sincere and honest in their desire to end the country of the recognized cause of alcoholism. They are not misled by the cranks and fanatics. Some few laymen have made no great movement, such as that which swept over Alberta the other day, but they are accounted for on any other grounds than that the people are willing

to try anything that seems to promise freedom from the alcoholic influence.

The fact has always appeared self-evident. It has always seemed any movement that is coercive in its nature. It probably always will maintain the same attitude. Still, this paper cannot fail to recognize the high motives of those who are willing to sacrifice prosperity, in order that on ideal may be achieved, even when serious proof that that ideal cannot be achieved by compulsion is available.

In a recent issue of the Literary Digest, the results of prohibition, as called, in Russia are given. The figures are taken from leading Russian authorities.

According to the Russian Vitch, of Petrograd, the increase of mortality from alcoholism in that city is very noticeable. According to official data, there were twenty-six cases of death from delirium tremens in the period from August 17th to September 15th, last, in that city. From September 14th to October 11th there were thirty-three cases. From October 12th to November 8th there were thirty-four cases. From November 9th to December 6th there were forty-three cases. From December 7th to January 4th there were thirty-five cases. From January 5th to January 31st there were fifty-eight cases. From February 1st to February 28th there were sixty-six cases. Counting on these figures, the writer in the Russian Vitch says:

"Before prohibition, the mortality figures varied and changed without any regularity; after prohibition they show a regular and constant increase. The prohibition measures were becoming stricter and stricter; at the same time vodka was forbidden everywhere but at the first-class restaurants; then the prohibition was extended also to these restaurants, but with the permission to sell beer and wine, and lastly there followed a general inhibition of the free trade in wine and all alcoholic liquors in general. And the mortality from alcoholism increased as those measures progressed."

"The constant rise of the mortality figures, which bears testimony to the growing number of consumers of different substitutes for vodka, shows that these are not only by no means drunkards, but generally by these classes who, before the prohibition law, used to drink moderately. From the report of the Oubkhov Hospital, at Petrograd, it can be seen that, among the victims of alcoholism, who entered the hospital, were persons of all ages—mainly twenty to thirty years of age—and all occupations."

Another journal says that not only drinking in its worst form increased, but that gambling has also increased to a considerable extent. Still another journal, the famous Novoye Vremya, strongly advocates the importance of providing some form of diversion for the people that will take the place of alcohol. It corroborates the other papers in regard to the prevalent use of destructive substitutes for the national beverage.

These conditions, deplorable in Russia, are conditions that we may expect to see develop in Western Canada as prohibition comes into effect. The people have resolved to give prohibition a trial. Let them do it—but when they undertake to give it a trial, they are prepared to cope with the dangerous conditions that accompany such a system. All countries have found that the real solution of the problem cannot be made without adopting a substitute for an age-long custom that is deeply ingrained. If we are to have prohibition we should prepare to solve the problems that will arise out of prohibition. The time to prepare to do this work is before the vote is taken; after they are sprung upon us.—Winnipeg Post.

Engine and Coach Ditched Near Cowley

On Monday morning the engine and baggage coach of passenger train No. 10, bound, were ditched a few yards east of the big bridge over the North Fork, east of Cowley.

Engineer E. Bryans was slightly injured, and Fireman Jack Shultz, of Lettbridge, suffered a broken leg. These were the extent of the injuries. The engine was badly smashed and the train was transferred to train 51 which met the wreck, and which ran back up The Pass on 51.

The recent rains had weakened the track near the bridge over the North Fork, and when the engine struck the place it took the ditch, dragging the baggage coach with it.

The only wonder, as expressed by those who saw the wreck, is that there was not greater damage and that all the cars did not follow the engine, which plunged down the embankment along the ditch up until it had piled up enough to stop it. There would have been great loss of life among the passengers had such been the case as the train, this place is in the neighborhood of 50 or 100 feet.

Ten thousand live reindeer are to be delivered in Berlin this year from Norway to be used by the Germans. The Germans who have spent a winter on the Pacific coast will be used to the rain, dear!—Etc.

Cowley Happenings

Dr. Donald spent last week at Maycroft.

Mrs. W. C. Robinson has been confined to her bed for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird paid a visit to friends at the North Fork last week.

Mrs. George Morgan, of Coleman, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mr. Joe Morgan, this week.

Ward has been received from the Peace River country of the death by drowning of one of Cowley's old timers, C. Bryce Miller.

On Sunday afternoon a heavy hail storm struck the district west of here and destroyed a great deal of grain and hay and vegetables.

Miles Alexander, who has been teaching school a short distance out of Calgary, is spending his vacation with his brother Richard.

Much credit is due those who have been so kind for the Liquor Act, the Women's Institute coming in for a share of the credit. Don't forget the meeting next week which was postponed on account of the picnic.

James Bird, with several men, are busy lack of the reservoir on the Swinney ranch getting the pipe in shape for running the water to the town, which is much needed and will be gladly received.

Yes, Cowley pulled a majority of 5 for the dry, the first western town to go dry. All west and the first town east went wet, so we say "Bravo" for our little town that wants to be right, and may she be able to keep it up and see that the law is enforced.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Khan left leaving next Tuesday for the east to spend a few months among relatives and friends in their old home at Orillia, Ontario. Mr. Khan's health has been slowly improving and he hopes the trip will restore him to his wonted vigor. Bob Littlejohn is taking charge of the business during their absence. We wish them a happy journey, and may they both come back feeling much better for their trip.

An accident occurred to the west-bound passenger train on Monday morning just east of Cowley. As the train, travelling at a slow speed, approached one of the small trestles, the earth had just begun to undermine the trestle, with the result that the sagging of the track caused the engine to go upwards to the hillside, where the trestle stands. The leading car, a slow steamer, approached one of the small trestles, the earth had just begun to undermine the trestle, with the result that the sagging of the track caused the engine to go upwards to the hillside, where the trestle stands. The leading car, a slow steamer, approached one of the small trestles, the earth had just begun to undermine the trestle, with the result that the sagging of the track caused the engine to go upwards to the hillside, where the trestle stands.

The farmers' picnic went off with the usual success on Friday, but the crowd was rather smaller than usual, owing to the rainy weather beforehand. It has been hard to get the work on the ranch done, and with the hay time on hand and harvest near the farmers feel that it is up to them to make hay while the sun shines. However, quite a number attended the picnic and the sports were good. A ball game was played between Cowley, North Fork and the River teams, resulting in a victory for the River team. Jordan Robinson, who was catching, had the misfortune to split his little finger, and had to lay off, thus weakening the Cowley team which up to the time of the accident was doing fine work. The best sport of the day was the obstacle race, which was won by Ralph Easton. When diving for the apple in the tub of water, he missed the bite on the surface and followed the apple right to the bottom of the tub. He was a bit wet, but what matter, he gained the bottom from Norway to be used by the Germans. The Germans who have spent a winter on the Pacific coast will be used to the rain, dear!—Etc.

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A party of tourists from San Francisco motored through Blairmore enroute to Calgary, on Monday. They enjoyed the hospitality of T. Madden at the Windsor hotel, Lundbreck, on Monday night.

La-Col. Fred Sneath, brother of Mrs. (Hon.) Charles Stewart, of Edmonton, fell under a train while loading near Barris, Ontario, on July 15th, sustaining the loss of both feet. He was a popular officer of the 49th battalion at Niagara Camp.

The only strike we have knowledge of at present is that of the hotel (?) keepers in Stellarton. The town has no hotels, open to the public, and the question is "Which is to be preferred, a liquor license or an hotelless town?"—Mining Record.

Private contributions aggregating an amount sufficient to purchase 1000 machine pans for use by the Canadian forces at the front are already in the possession of the receiver general at Ottawa.

Down in North Sydney prisoners while under lock and key in the cooler have got next to liquor. The North Sydney Herald says there is too much latitude allowed Sunday jail victims and their outside friends.

Dr. J. W. Mackay returns this week from Rochester, where his brother, H. C. Mackay, principal of the Nanton public school, underwent a serious operation. During Dr. Mackay's absence, his practice at Blairmore and Frank was looked after by Dr. Bell, of Passburg.

J. F. Lank was up from Cowley yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. George left for Airdrie on Thursday morning.

Greenwood will give two machine guns to the All Kootenay Battalion.

Cranbrook may close the manual training department of the public school work.

Fernie expects to raise enough money to buy a couple of machine guns for the 54th Battalion.

Principal Black and Miss Black returned to Coleman on Monday night from a visit to Calgary.

United States' last word to Germany has gone forward, and may yet be followed by gunspeech.

The services of Mrs. S. W. Perry as pianist have been secured by the management of the opera house.

Alberta has had an exceedingly wet summer. It will be different next year, probably—Vancouver Province.

Constable Nash, now stationed at Stand-off, spent Friday and Saturday with friends at Bellevue and Frank.

Miss McDougall, of Fernie, registered at the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium on Sunday.

While the men were working at the dam at York Creek on Wednesday, two large deer came down to the creek to drink.

July 11th to 17th inclusive, the only week since the commencement of the war in which no British ships were sunk by the Germans.

Miss A. Shannett left, by Monday night, a "Bye" for Spokane, where she understands she is to be married to a former Blairmore boy.

"The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof, but the sea belongs to Yon Tirpitz and the Devil (Kaiser)"—Book of Psalms as amended by the Emperor of Germany.

The All-American Girls' baseball team, which was to have played a picked team here last year, is again travelling through Alberta and played a fast game at Strathmore on July 22nd.

Very little damage was done to wheat crops in the Blairmore-Coleman district by the hailstorm, although a number of cabbage plants in Chub's orchard were practically annihilated.

The last issue of Bradstreet's shows that hotels in 46 small towns in Saskatchewan have suspended business since the act abolishing the bar went into effect on July 1st in that province.

H. P. and G. W. Green were summoned to the bedside of their mother on Monday night, Mrs. Green having suffered a sudden relapse. At the time of going to press her condition is slightly improved.

The stork pleads not guilty of leaving a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morgan last week, and went of respect to his duty to the Empire Mr. Stork asks us to state that in this case and all others the presentations must be boys. Here's luck to you, Stork.

"You can't shoot me" said little Anna White to her cousin, Alonzo Heigham, whilst standing in the kitchen of her home at Asphat, Stellarton. In reply the latter wheeled round, and playfully cocking the rifle pulled the trigger. The cartridge exploded and the bullet entered the little girl's head, killing her instantly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roebuck, ex., are moving into Washington.

Mrs. L. W. Kribs left Tuesday night to join her husband in the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Versa are the guests of Mrs. Birnie at Medicine Hat—Alberta.

William Green came up from Lundbreck on Monday, on a visit to his mother.

I. H. Putnam paid a business visit to Macleod on Saturday, returning Sunday night.

Mrs. Gerard, of Passburg, has taken up duties at St. Paul's Mission on the Blood Reserve.

J. W. McNicol, of the Canadian Credit Men's Association, was in town on Tuesday and Wednesday.

A number of rabbits belonging to Mr. Paul, Dearborn Street, were destroyed by hawks' or weasels' last week.

The property of Mrs. L. W. Kribs on State Street and Eighth Avenue has been purchased by J. E. Gillie.

A bunch of wheat stalks measuring 6 feet in height and 10 feet in diameter were on exhibition at Cowley last week.

A McDougall and Miss McDougall, of Fernie, spent last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. MacMillan at Cowley.

The new liquor act which comes into effect on July 1st, 1919, abolishes 820 hotel, club and wholesale liquor licenses.

A considerable quantity of rice and confetti has been purchased for use in the Pellerin addition to the new fair district future.

J. Huston was given a "dry" read-out last night by the members of the International Order of Good Templars, of which he is a member.

R. W. Thompson, Chief of the Blood Reserve Indian, and Blue Whiskers Fleming, of Peigan, registered at the Cowley hotel on Friday, July 21st.

The Germans should not Russia way with the idea that they can grab Warsaw with the same ease that a cow grabs a chicken in the dark of the moon. Warsaw Poland long before the Tootons could tell the difference between a stein of beer and the shank of an overgrown bologna sausage.—R. T. Lowery.

This year there will be a greater number of visitors to Canada's lake and river districts than ever before. To these the appeal is made to protect the waters from pollution. The chief attraction of many resorts is the healthy atmosphere and the excellent fishing. Neither of these can continue unless the summer visitors do their part in sanitary protection.

This is a time of financial stringency, and the wiping out of millions of dollars worth of value in hotel and other properties in this province will affect all banks, loan companies, insurance companies, the majority of merchants, a host of employees, and will, therefore, tend towards financial panic, and will at this stage make things worse rather than better.—Northern News.

The Redfear (Ontario) Mercury says: "Private Lyon Appleby, a former collegiate pugilist who went overseas with the Queen's Medical Corps of the second contingent, has been promoted to the rank of lance-corporal, and is now at No. 6 Stationing Hospital, England."

[Lance-Corporal Appleby is a son of Thomas Appleby, of Blairmore.]

If the present weather continues Alberta never will go dry.

The city of Fernie will give two machine guns to the 54th Kootenay Battalion.

Paul Thibadeau landed twenty-five fine trout near Lundbreck on Saturday last.

The German offensive in Poland has been brought to a standstill by the Russians.

Count Parsons went to Macleod last week and to attend the funeral of the late Count. Paddison.

Mike Donnelly and James Fisher have gone to Montana, where they will study prohibition.

It is estimated that Western Canada's wheat crop this year will amount to 240,000,000 bushels.

Fish are a nice thing to have, but one enemy can give you more trouble than 1000 friends.—E.K.

Over one thousand lives were lost by the overturning of a pleasure boat in the Chicago river on Saturday.

Wednesday next will be generally celebrated as the anniversary of the commencement of the world's crucifixion.

Mrs. H. M. Bennett, accompanied by Miss Anne and Christine Haque, spent a few days in Macleod last week.

Nine British trawlers were sunk by German submarines in the North Sea recently. The crews all escaped without injury.

An effort is being made to form a co-operative company of local capitalists to operate a general supply store in Blairmore.

The office of the West Canadian Collieries Co. is being re-modelled and renovated. An eighty-foot Haque is also being erected near the office.

Thomas A. Edison, the electric "wizard," has accepted the appointment under the U. S. navy to lead a board of inventions for naval purposes.

Two parties of Blairmoreites followed Isaac Walton to the North Fork on Saturday.

Returning Sunday night, one of the cars became disabled through the breaking of an axle, and as a result the occupants were obliged to ride six miles to Lundbreck on Chisholm's Mars. The say they thoroughly enjoyed the trip, and that the riding was fine, but we know there are much better fish in the stream than those they caught, and "gee, dat was a long six miles!"

The funeral of the largest man in Elgin County took place on July 1st in the township of Bayham. His name was John M. Dennis, and he lived all his life on the farm where he was born.

When eleven years old he weighed 200 pounds, and at his death, his weight was 590 pounds. His waist measure was 5 feet, his chest 8 feet. The casket was 80 by 36 by 72 in., and the body had to be carried outside and put into it where it lay, under a tree. Twelve men placed the casket on a dory.

"Just after the editor had written that paragraph about the warm weather, a hailstorm hit us—and it hit hard. In 15 minutes gardens throughout the town were ruined and practically every window facing north was smashed. Some of the hailstones, spherical in shape, were as large as pigeons' eggs. How far the storm extended is not known at present, but wherever it hit the damage will be heavy. The storm delayed the issue of The Province several hours."—[Innisfail Province.]

The key to many a woman's heart these days is khashi.

Miss K. Bedford, of Lethbridge, is visiting friends in Blairmore.

Mrs. Kidd's maternity home, Box 95, Phone 151, Wedding cakes decorated.

Miss L. Kalfoury returned from a visit to Spokane and other western points on Monday.

Water was shut off for a few hours on Wednesday, while the dam was being cleared out.

Up to July 15th the Fruit Growers' Union of Creston, handled over 11,000 crates of strawberries.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Heywood left by Monday night's train enroute to their old home in Manchester, England.

Oats growing to a height of 6 feet, rye 7 feet, clover 6 feet 10 inches are reported from Canyon City, B.C.

McK. Hunter, of Coleman, left by Monday night's train on a visit to his old home and friends at Spirit Hill, N.S.

E. Slingby, of Coleman, has enlisted as an army mechanic, and left for the Old Country via Calgary on Tuesday.

T. C. Waike, a Jones, of Edmonton, is spending a short holiday with his brother, Rev. Watkins Jones, at Macleod.

Two Chikanens died from injuries received by being hit by a Great Northern train near Coombs, B.C., on July 20th.

William C. Chabrier, who had been struggling to acquire some live stock, returned by train last Saturday on Saturday morning.

J. Huston, who has been cashier at the local branch of the Union Bank of Canada for several years, is being transferred to the Winnipeg branch.

A mob of infuriated Haytiens removed Vibron Guillaume, president of Hayti, from the French legation, at Port au Prince, and shot him to death on Tuesday.

The Fernie District Ledger, the official organ of District 18 of the United Farmers of America, announces that it will suspend publication after July the 31st.

We sincerely regret that circumstances make it necessary to cut out the Ledger, which has been one of the most every and interesting papers on our exchange list. We trust it will not long be in jeopardy, and that its revival will be more strongly appreciated than ever before.

"The Blairmore branch writes of an interesting donation made to the Red Cross society in that town. The secretary says: 'Prinaple you would be interested to know how we were able to make our donation of \$100 for medical supplies, in addition to paying for the upkeep of our bed. We were so fortunate as to have a house and lot donated by one of our townspeople. Mr. (Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sinclair) to be sold by auction, and the proceeds devoted to the Red Cross funds. Wasn't that nice?'"

In glancing over our exchange last week, we notice where an Alberta editor took the trouble to walk out to the cemetery. While there this village scribe noticed the new fence, spruce trees and other improvements. This is the first editor on record, to our knowledge, who has ever walked to such a place to take a glimpse at those who are enjoying the long rest.—[Innisfail Province.]